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In re Patent Application of: Yasuhiko NAGAOKA et al.

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR

ORGANIZING DIGITAL MEDIA BASED ON

FACE RECOGNITION

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## AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Madam:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated November 25, 2008, finally rejecting claims 1, 2, 4-13 and 15-26, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.